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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Applicant: Niro NAKAMICHI  
Serial No.: 08/760,706  
Filed: December 5, 1996  
For: DISK PLAYBACK DEVICE  
Examiner: A. Cao  
Art Unit: 2512  
Docket No.: M1653-109

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**TRANSMITTAL OF PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT AND  
INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT**

Hon. Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

SIR:

Enclosed herein please find the following:

- \* Preliminary Amendment
- \* Information Disclosure Statement
- \* Reissue Application Declaration and Power of Attorney

**PATENT**

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Niro Nakamichi et al.	)	Group Art Unit: 2754
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Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir:

Please allow Peter Borsari, Stuart Talbert, and Danielle Peregro, representing the firm of Banner & Witcoff, Ltd., whose address is 1001 G Street, N.W., 11th Floor, Washington, D.C. 20001, to inspect and make copies of the above-identified file.

Respectfully submitted,

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Dated: March 2, 1999

Total Claims	114		
Previously paid for	27		
Extra =	87	extra total claim fee	\$1,914.00
Independent claims	16		
Previously paid for	15		
Extra =	1	extra independent claim fee	\$80.00

**Total due     \$1994.00**

A check in the amount of \$1,994.00 is enclosed for the additional claims added herein.

Please credit any overpayment, or charge any deficiencies to Deposit Account No. 13-4550. A duplicate of this page is enclosed.

Respectfully Submitted,



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